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Filing Date	11/16/1999
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Art Unit	2622
Examiner Name	Mark E. Wallerson
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## This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application

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### 1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114

#### a. ☒ Previously submitted

i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on May 23, 2003  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on Technology Center

iii. ☐ Other

#### b. ☐ Enclosed

i. ☐ Amendment/Reply

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iv. ☐ Other

### 2. Miscellaneous

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b. ☐ Other

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Invention:

**DIRECT SERVER-ACCESSING PRINTER AND CONTROL METHOD THEREOF**

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